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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

United States Department of the Interior Bureau of Reclamation Attn: Richard G. Bauman 826 East Front Street Suite A Port Angeles, WA 98362-3613

Re:

Elwha Water Treatment Plant

NPDES Permit No.: WA-002666-2

Dear Mr. Bauman:

Enclosed for your information is a copy of a draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit which we propose to issue to the facility referenced above, the fact sheet which outlines the basis for the conditions in the draft permit, and the public notice as it will appear in the Peninsula Daily News.

The Public Notice initiates a 30-day public comment period. Following the close of the public comment period, we will consider the comments received when preparing the final permit.

Technical questions regarding the permit may be referred to Brian Nickel of my staff at 206-553-6251 or 1-800-424-4372 ext. 6251, or via email at Nickel.Brian@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Lidgard

Manager, NPDES Permits Unit

Enclosures

cc: Brian Winter, Interior, National Park Service